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Sir:

In compliance with the dictates of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97, and 1.98, Applicant hereby submits an Information Disclosure Statement.

The attached documents are mentioned in the present specification and a brief description of their relevance can be found therein. In accordance with MPEP § 609 III A(2), copies of US patent documents are not attached for applications filed after June 30, 2003 (MPEP Rev. 2, May 2004, page 600-128).

It is respectfully requested that the Examiner consider each of these references and indicate such consideration by enclosing an appropriately initialled copy of the enclosed form PTO-1449 with the next communication from the Patent Office.

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